

# Accelerating Development of Automotive ADAS SoCs with Certified IP

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# ABSTRACT

Electronic systems in automobiles are more sophisticated today than ever, and perform key functions to maintain the utmost in safety. These Advanced Driver Assistance Systems (ADAS), whether built-in or after-market, must meet the stringent automotive standards for safety, reliability and quality. For example, automatic emergency braking system must process real-time data and communicate seamlessly over a reliable in-car network to maintain operating modes with more precision than a human operator. SoCs incorporated into such systems must meet ISO 26262 functional safety, AEC-Q100 reliability and automotive quality requirements. This also applies to the entire supply chain, including IP, as they must adhere to these standards.

To accelerate their SoC development as well as safety, reliability and quality assessments, automotive SoC designers see great value in incorporating ASIL Ready Certified IP consisting of automotive safety packages. In this presentation, we will highlight the development and certification of ASIL Ready IP according to ISO 26262, and review the requirements for automotive AEC-Q100 reliability and quality. Learn how you can leverage Synopsys' certified automotive IP portfolio in TSMC's 28-nm and FinFET processes to quickly reach target ASILs and accelerate time-to-volume production.

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- ADAS & Autonomous Driving SoCs Trends
- Best Practices for ISO 26262 Functional Safety
- ISO 26262 Safety Features
- Automotive Reliability and Quality



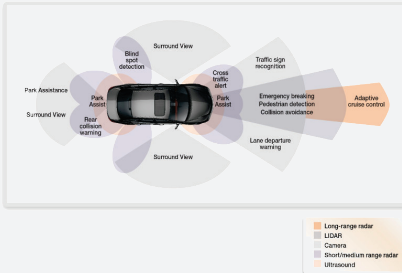
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## ADAS & Autonomous Driving SoCs

Goal: Reduce Accidents, Injuries & Fatalities

- 6.2 million automotive accidents and 35,000 deaths\* in 2015 (in United States)
- About 94% of accidents caused by human error\*
  - 2% environment, 2% mechanical, 2% margin error
- ADAS Applications (vision-based)
  - Rear view camera
    - Park assist
  - Front camera
    - Pedestrian Detection
    - AEB (Automatic Emergency Braking)
  - Surround view cameras
  - Interior camera
    - Drowsiness / gaze detection



\*Source: Traffic Safety Facts Research Notes, NTSA, Aug 2016 & Feb 2015

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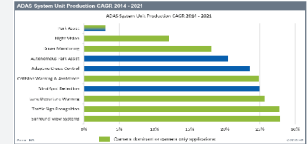
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## ADAS & Autonomous Driving SoCs Trends

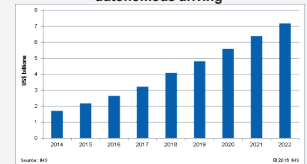
- Sensor fusion: vision, radar, LIDAR, & ultrasonic sensors
- 64-bit processing with heterogeneous co-processing
- Embedded vision processors
  - Latest vision algorithms e.g. CNN
- Deep-learning
- Advanced connectivity:
  - Ethernet AVB/TSN, LPDDR4, MIPI, PCIe, USB, Bluetooth
  - 5G and 802.11p
- Advanced process nodes
  - 16FFC & N7-nm processes
- ISO 26262 safety critical

"SoCs supporting safety-critical ADAS functions are predicted to grow in volumes with a CAGR of 48% in the next 3 years"  
- Luca De Ambroggi, IHS Markit, July 2017

ADAS: Fastest growing automotive application: 25% CAGR '14-21\*



Semiconductor revenue for ADAS and autonomous driving

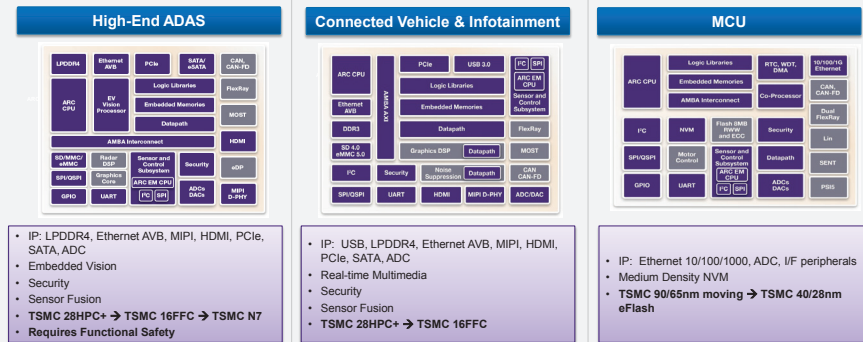


\*Trends and Opportunities in Driver Assistance and Automated Driving, IHS Automotive Sep 2015  
\*Source: ADAS Semiconductor Market Tracker, IHS, H1 2016

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## Automotive Applications Require Different SoC Architectures



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## ADAS SoCs Require ISO 26262 Functional Safety Compliance



Electronics Failures Can Have Hazardous Impact

- ASIL A/B/C/D defines the level of safety required; ISO 26262 defines the processes and standards
- Goal is to minimize the susceptibility to random hardware failures by:
  - Defining the functional requirements
  - Applying rigor to the development process
  - Taking necessary design measures
  - Applying systematic analysis methods
- Compliance certifications for SoCs granted by accredited providers
  - Training
  - Product & process reviews
  - Product assessments & certifications

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## Best Practices for ISO 26262: FMEDA Generation

- Concurrent reviews by multiple engineers eliminate bias
- Safety manager participation as process audit
- One review participant documents key decisions
- Complete block-by-block analysis
- Gate count numbers will be heavily configuration and technology dependent.
  - SEooC\*, reasonable automotive use model assumptions should be made.
  - Customer specific, utilize data from the exact customer configuration and technology.

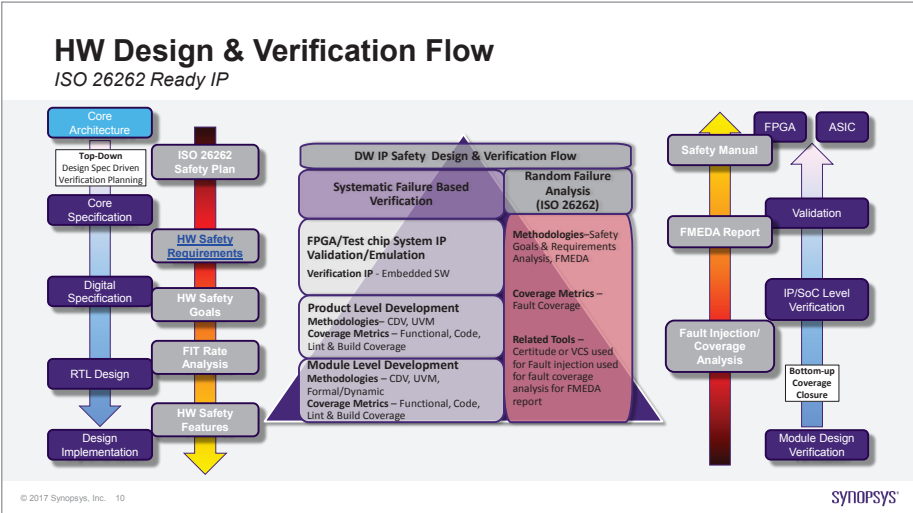
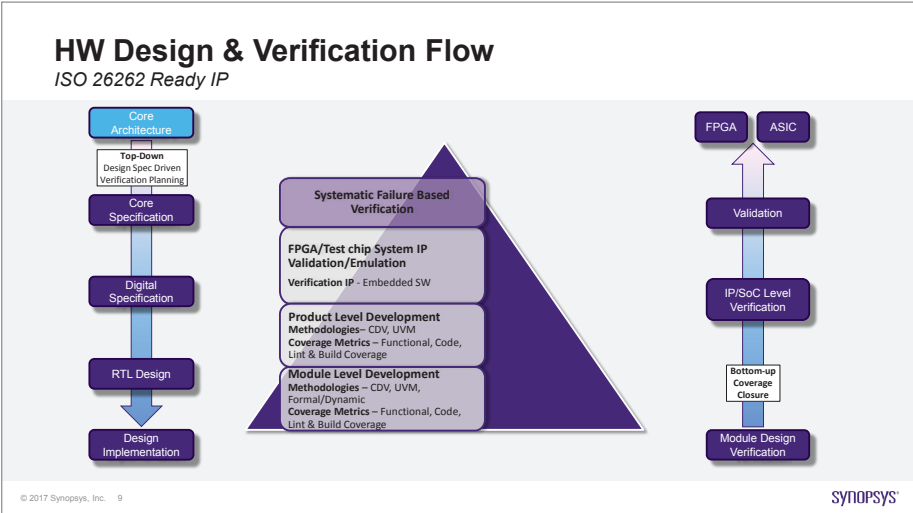
Risk Potential			
QM	A	B	C
QM	Not used for Safety		
ASIL A	NA		ASIL C
ASIL B	Single-Point Fault Metric > 90%		ASIL D
	Latent Fault Metric > 60%		

Targets intended to provide design guidance and evidence of compliance

\* SEooC: Safety Element out of Context

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### ISO 26262 Guideline for Safety Features to Detect Failures of Elements

Diagnostic Type	Effectiveness
HW Redundancy	High - 99%
Configuration Register Test	High - 99%
EDC* on Memory	High - 99%
Combination of Timeout monitoring, Frame Counter & information Redundancy	High - 99%
Self-test supported by Hardware	High - 99%
Multi-bit HW redundancy	Medium - 90%
Timeout monitoring	Medium - 90%
Frame Counter	Medium - 90%
Information Redundancy	Medium - 90%
Parity Bit - per Word	Low - 60%

Source: ISO 26262-6 Annex D

\*EDC: Error-Detection-Correction Codes

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## Internal Safety Features Implemented by Synopsys

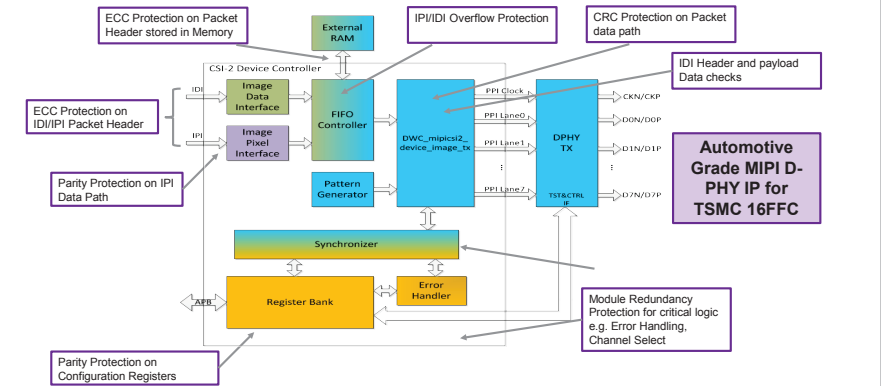
Category	New Safety Mechanism in IP RTL	Features added to support functional safety
Protection Mechanisms	Protection in APB interface programming interface	
	Write pointer protection in Elastic Buffer	
	EDC protection on the header	
	Parity protection on datapath - using byte parity	
	Parity protection on configuration registers	
Replication	ECC protection on write/read into memories	
	Duplicating key modules - comparing outputs	
Various	Triplicate the wordcount register with voting logic	
	Concatenate states registers and add parity check to word	
	Check validity of single cycle pulses in key modules	
	System informed of errors via various dedicated interrupts	
	One hot state machine protection for bad States	

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## Example of Automotive Safety Features: MIPI CSI-2 Device Controller & MIPI D-PHY for TSMC 16FFC

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## Synopsys Automotive Grade IP

Reduce Risk and Accelerate Qualification for Automotive SoCs

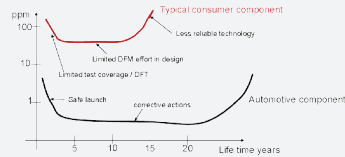


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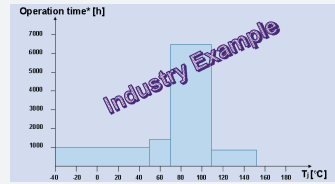
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## Designing IP in TSMC 16FFC for Automotive Reliability

- Synopsys productizes hard IP for automotive apps
- Target low ppm automotive reliability vs consumer



- Synopsys has defined internal Reference Temp Profiles based on multiple automotive industry engagements



Duration (h)	Percentage (%)	Tj component (°C)
1000	10	48
1600	16	71
6500	65	108
890	9	150

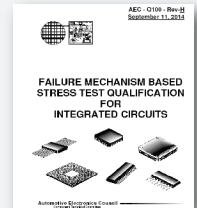
Example Temperature Mission Profile\*

\* Handbook for Robustness Validation of Semiconductor Devices in Automotive Applications, ZVEI, May 2015

## Designing & Testing IP for AEC-Q100 Qualification

Reduce Risk & Development Time for AEC-Q100 Qualification

- All automotive SoCs need AEC-Q100 qualification
  - Fault Sim & Fault Grading
  - Accelerated environment stress test
  - Accelerated lifetime simulation tests
  - Reliability tests such as electromigration
  - Electrical verification tests such as ESD, latch-up
- Some tests are SoC-level only
  - Wire bond shear test for packaging
- Not all tests apply to all IP
  - Example: ESD testing for LPDDR4 PHY but not for embedded memories



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## Automotive IP AEC-Q100 Testing Report: MSIP PHYs for TSMC 16FFC

DesignWare® Core LPDDR4 multiPHY for TSMC 16FFC  
Reliability Report

DesignWare® Core SuperSpeed USB 3.0 Gen1 PHY for TSMC 16FFC  
Reliability Report

DesignWare® Core HDMI2.0 TX PHY for TSMC 16FFC  
Reliability Report

DesignWare® Core PCIe 3.0 PHY for TSMC 16FFC  
Reliability Report

DesignWare® Core MIPI D-PHY v1.2 Rx 4L for TSMC 16FFC  
Reliability Report

LPDDR4 MultiPHY v2

USB 3.0

HDMI2.0 Tx

PCIe 3.0

MIPI D-PHY

## Interface IP Portfolio and Foundation IP Meet Stringent AEC-Q100 Grade 1 Temp Requirements



Press Releases

Synopsys Interface IP Portfolio on 16-nm FinFET Process Meets Stringent Automotive AEC-Q100 Grade 1 Temperature Requirements

DesignWare® Core LPDDR4 multiPHY, PCIe Express and Ethernet Deliver High Reliability for ADAS and Autonomous Vehicles

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Synopsys Foundation IP Meets Stringent Automotive AEC-Q100 Grade 1 Temperature Requirements for TSMC 16FFC and 28HPC+ Processes

DesignWare® Core LPDDR4 multiPHY, PCIe Express and Ethernet Deliver High Reliability for ADAS and Autonomous Vehicles

Synopsys continues to be a leading provider of proven IP solutions that enable designers to reduce design effort and achieve their automotive SoC design goals on TSMC's latest process technologies."

Suk Lee, TSMC senior director

- Delivers higher reliability for automotive SoCs
- AEC-Q100 Designed and Tested
- Foundation IP
  - Designed for 1 DPPM & 125°C ambient (150°C junction) temps
  - Delivers superior PPA TSMC 16FFC & 28HPC+
  - In-house HTOL testing capabilities available
- Interface IP Portfolio
  - LPDDR4, MIPI D-PHY, PCIe 3.1 & Ethernet on 16FFC
  - IP with available test reports meets Grade 1 temps (-40C to 125C ambient, 150C junction) & mission profile requirements







## Summary



- **ADAS:** Fastest growing automotive application: 25% CAGR '14-21
- Synopsys provides ISO 26262 Safety Features integrated into Automotive IP portfolio
  - DDR, Ethernet, USB, MIPI CSI-2/DSI, HDMI, PCIe IP
  - Memories, Logic Libraries and Test
  - Analog and NVM
  - ARC EM & ARC Safety Island with Safety Enhancement Package
  - Sensor & Control IP Subsystem
  - VDKs, IP Prototyping Kits
- Grade 1 & 2 temperature PHYs, embedded memories and NVM
- ASIL Ready ISO 26262 ASIL Ready IP, AEC-Q100 Verified & Testing, Automotive Quality Management

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